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WE WISH TO INVITE YOUR ATTENTION TO THE GRAND

Grand AUCTION SALE MONDAY December 6th, 1915

AT 10:30 A. M.

WE HAVE SUBDIVIDED INTO IDEAL SMALL FARMS THE EBORN LAND NOW OWNED BY MARTIN AMSZ, WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT

Auction To The Highest on Very Easy Terms

The property is located 2 1/2 miles from Pactulus, on the Pactulus and Whichard road, and is very desirable farming land, in a good neighborhood, and convenient to good schools and churches. This land will produce in abundance fine crops of cotton, corn, peanuts and tobacco, and in fact all crops grown in this section. There is one building on the property complete, with all necessary out buildings, and a dwelling under way of construction for each tract that will be sold.

THE A. C. L. RAILROAD HAS PUT IN A SIDING ON THE PROPERTY, AND MAKES IT VERY CONVENIENT FOR SHIPPING PRODUCTS

MAKE ARRANGEMENTS NOW TO MEET US ON THE GROUND

A Free Dinner will be Served to All Attending Sale

MUSIC WILL BE FURNISHED BY OUR OWN ALL STAR BRASS BAND

REMEMBER THAT THE SALE TAKES PLACE

Monday, December 6th, 1915, at 10.30 a. m.

Atlantic Coast Realty Co

Home Office; Greenville, North Carolina

"THE PREMIER AUCTION PEOPLE"

GREENVILLE IS THE HEART OF EASTERN NORTH CAROLINA. IT HAS A POPULATION OF FOUR THOUSAND, ONE HUNDRED AND ONE. AND IS SURROUNDED BY THE BEST FARMING COUNTRY. INDUSTRIES OF ALL KINDS ARE INVITED TO LOCATE HERE FOR WE HAVE EVERYTHING TO OFFER IN THE WAY OF LABOR, CAPITAL AND TRIBUTARY FACILITIES. WE HAVE AN UP-TO-DATE JOB AND NEWSPAPER PLANT.



Agriculture is the Most Useful, the Most Healthful, the Most Noble Employment of Man. -George Washington.

WE HAVE A CIRCULATION OF TWELVE HUNDRED AMONG THE BEST PEOPLE IN THE EASTERN PART OF NORTH CAROLINA AND INVITE THOSE WHO WISH TO GET BETTER ACQUAINTED WITH THESE GOOD PEOPLE IN A BUSINESS WAY TO TAKE A FEW INCHES SPACE AND TELL THEM WHAT YOU HAVE TO BRING TO THEIR ATTENTION. OUR ADVERTISING RATES ARE LOW AND CAN BE HAD UPON APPLICATION.

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ATTEMPT CRUSH ALLIED TROOPS IN MACEDONIA

French Continue Bombard The Whole German Front.

LITTLE PEACE TALKS

Berlin Says French In Region of Nardar River—Ipek In Montenegro Has Been Taken With Heavy Losses On Both Sides, Is Claimed.

LONDON, DEC. 8.—The campaign against the main Serbian armies having been closed, it is expected General Von Gallwitz, with his German forces, will join the Bulgarians in Macedonia in an effort to crush the French and British armies before they become much stronger.

Information from Berlin indicates that the German forces engaged in the earlier movements in the Balkans have now been detached for the purpose of sharing in the attack on the Franco-British forces along the Southern Albanian front. Dispatches from Athens partially corroborate this theory, as it is reported two German divisions are co-operating with the Bulgarians near Strumitsa.

There is little report from the other fronts save the usual minor operations.

The French, however, are carrying on a particularly energetic bombardment of the German lines in the Champagne. In Mesopotamia the Germans are beginning to show considerable interest in the campaign, which is developing in favor of their Turkish allies.

It is reported from Geneva that the Germans under Field Marshal Von Der Goits are preparing an extensive campaign which will be directed toward the Persian Gulf by way of Bagdad.

Further impetus is given to peace talk by the papal conclave at which Pope Benedict delivered an address calling upon the belligerents to make a just and immediate peace.

The effect of the dismissal of the German military and naval attaches at Washington on the German public is not ascertainable as the German newspapers have not been permitted to publish even the bare facts of the incident.

BERLIN, DEC. 8.—Via London—The war office announced today that the French forces in Southwestern Serbia near the Vardar river, have been compelled to retreat.

The capture of Ipek, Montenegro, also is announced.

The official statement on the Balkan operations is as follows: "Balkan theatre of war: The city of Ipek (in Montenegro, about fifteen miles from the Serbian border), has been reported. Some 1,250 prisoners were brought in.

"On account of a threatened envelopment of their positions in the Cernak-Karavaydar salient, the French have been compelled to give up their positions there."

Regarding conditions on the Western and Eastern fronts, the official statement says:

"Western theatre of war: Near Berry-au-Bac a large mine was successfully exploded. A French trench with

Mr. Merchant—Hey! When the foreigner jumps among you and begins to make it hot by selling inferior goods at cheap prices you call on the paper to aid you. If the paper does not denounce the practice from Sun Rise to Last Chance you swear it is a dirty, rotten rag. You threaten to shoot the editor on sight, or may be something like that, but do you give the paper your support? Do you give it your work and a reasonable amount of advertising, or do you send it away to some other place? Why not do your part by the paper and help to keep "Greenville Dollars in Greenville?"

PASTOR DANIEL WAS RETURNED

List of Pastors For This District Is Given Below.

Rev. J. M. Daniel, pastor of the local Methodist church has returned to Greenville from the conference which was held in Wilmington last week. It will be gratifying to Mr. Daniel's many friends here to learn that he has been returned to his charge.

Following is the list of ministers and their charges in this district: Washington District C. L. Read, presiding elder. Aurora circuit, W. E. Trotman. Asylum circuit, Daniel Lant, Jr. Bath circuit, J. J. Lewis. Bethel circuit, H. E. Tripp. Elm City, L. B. Patterson. Farmville circuit, E. T. Moyle. Fairfield, J. P. Brosa. Fremont circuit, J. L. Rumley. Greenville—Jarvis Memorial, J. M. Daniel. Mattamuskeet circuit, W. H. Costabile. McKendree circuit, Ivy T. Poole. Mount Pleasant circuit, G. B. Perry. Nashville circuit, J. W. Austry. Rocky Mount—First Church, R. C. Craven. South Rocky Mount and Clark Street, to be supplied; North Rocky Mount, to be supplied.

Stantonsburg circuit, D. A. Futrell. Stokes circuit, to be supplied. Spring Hope circuit, W. T. Phillips. Swan Quarter circuit, R. R. Grant. Tarboro, H. I. Glass. Vanceboro circuit, W. J. Covington. Washington, E. M. Snipes. Wilson, W. A. Stanbury.

HORSE WAS STOLEN HERE DURING LAST NIGHT

A horse belonging to James Mitchell, of Blounts Creek, was stolen from the stables of the Liberty warehouse some time last night.

No clue has been learned that will give information as to who purloined the horse.

Its occupants was destroyed. All enemy mine positions that had been almost completely also was destroyed.

"East of Amberive, in the Champagne, about 250 metres of an advanced French trench was taken. More than sixty men fell into our hands.

"Eastern theatre of war: The situation is unchanged."

BERLIN, DEC. 8.—By wireless to Flockton, N. J.—"The position of the forces of the Entente allies on the Gallipoli peninsula is growing worse every day, according to reports from Constantinople, the winter also is making it impossible to bring provisions for the troops" the Overseas news agency says today.

SPEAKERS AGREE RURAL CHURCHES TOO NUMEROUS

Convention On Church and Country Life Opened This Morning.

AT COLUMBUS OHIO

Membership Is Too Small, Say Preachers While The Ministers Are Underpaid—Church of Tomorrow Will Be a Community Rather Than Sectarian.

(Special to The Reflector) COLUMBUS, O., DEC. 8.—Speakers before the national conference of the Commission on Church and Country Life here today agree that rural churches are too numerous and consequently inefficient, that their membership is too small, that country preachers are underpaid and their energies divided among too many charges.

The convention, opened this morning with an address by Gifford Finchot, chairman of the commission, and will continue through Friday evening when President Wilson will speak. Meetings of the executive committee of the Federal Council of Churches are being held simultaneously, and prominent churchmen from every state are here.

"The church of tomorrow will be a community rather than a sectarian institution," said Rev. Alvir W. Taylor of Columbus, Mo., in an address today.

"The day of emphasis upon creed distinctions is past. The neighborhood division of religious interests keeps all the churches weak and injures religion. The church which most adequately ministers to its whole neighborhood will thrive best in the rural communities of the future.

"The average community has from three to seven churches within a radius of four miles from any given center. Four miles is an easy 'wagon drive' and if every family were that far from a church the distance would not be too great. Duplication of churches in one community prevents any of the congregations from thriving, and the small church grows with much greater difficulty than the large one. Once a month service by the absence pastor leaves the church of a strong nation-wide, inter-denominational movement to prevent maintenance of superfluous sectarian churches, particularly in country districts.

The principal purpose of the rural church is to stimulate community spirit among farmers and consequently the church reform movement means definite increase in material prosperity, according to Rev. R. A. Hutchison, prominent civic worker of Pittsburgh and secretary of the home mission board of the United Presbyterian church.

"The chief end of the country church is not raising of crops and flocks," he said. "It is the production of men marked for their personal character, and the development of a community ethical righteousness. In the present weakened condition of the country church as an institution, co-operation of ideals and standards of civic life. The rural church should be the church, but with all organizations which aim at the betterment of society."

Miss Jessie Field of New York, known the country over as "the Corn

PERCY CROSS IS TO LECTURE HERE NEXT WEDNESDAY

His Subject Will Be "The European War."

MAKES STUDY OF IT

Dr. Cross Will Deliver The Lecture In The Court House—He Was Born In England And Has Had Much Experience—Knows The War.

Rev. Percy G. Cross will lecture in the court house on Wednesday evening, December the fifteenth under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society of the Christian church on the subject, "The European War."

Dr. Cross recently conducted a soul stirring revival here and is well known in Greenville. Besides being a preacher of the Gospel, he has won considerable recognition as a Chattanooga lecturer and can guarantee all who attend a first class address.

Dr. Cross was born in England, but came to this country when he was young. He has served in several phases of life and knows what it is. Dr. Cross feels a peculiar interest in the war as his birth country is involved, and spends several hours each day diligently studying the press, discussing and keeping up with every turn that is made in Europe.

Dr. Cross is at present conducting a revival in Kinston, which by the way, is the second one that he has conducted in that city recently. His admirers in this section of the State are many, and it is expected that a large crowd will turn out to hear his lecture when he comes here.

Walter Clark, of Chicago, Found Dead In Hyde County Woods.

Walter Clark, of Chicago, aged fifty-two, was found dead in the swamps of Hyde county yesterday. It is presumed that he died of heart failure while on a hunting trip. He held his gun, clenched tight in his hands when found. The body was brought to Washington today and will be shipped to Chicago for burial.

"My," explained that prosperous v. W. A. organizations in a rural district would provide means of raising money for the public? Is he keeping Greenville dollars in Greenville? As I have stated, I have been over this state and I will say that what it takes to make a real honest to goodness, up to date live city, Greenville has it, and I believe Mr. Mayor that the city is in a year's campaign to "Keep Greenville Dollars in Greenville."

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STOLE BUGGY DURING NIGHT

New Buggy Left Under Shelter Makes a Quick Disappearance.

This morning between one o'clock and daylight someone stole a new buggy from Tom Hines who lives on the farm of J. R. and J. D. Kays, local merchants here.

The buggy was left under the shelter last night as Hines was in the habit of doing, but this morning it had disappeared.

WRITER GIVES A FEW BOLD FACTS

Condemns The "Anticipating" And Slaughter Sales After Held Here

EDITOR GREENVILLE REFLECTOR

After reading a recent issue of your paper I have come to the conclusion that in your efforts to boost, as well as to make Greenville, what it should be, progressive, you have adapted for your slogan, "Keep Greenville Dollars in Greenville." I do not profess to be an expert at the art, or adept at news paper writing, but in words that I am sure Webster would consider very plain I think I can offer a suggestion, that if carried out, would do an unusual amount of good in regards to keeping Greenville dollars in Greenville. I have traveled from one end of this far heel state to the other and I feel that I am in a position to state that as soon as Greenville takes the stand that other cities have taken in regards to the matter that I am going to refer to, and by some way, shape, or manner, passes some kind of an act that will prevent certain merchants, from holding farewell and anti-trust sales at least four or five times a year, then and not until then will there be many, many dollars kept in Greenville that otherwise would be sent to some far off land.

The word farewell signifies parting, and that's just what happens to your dollars spent at such sales. I can state the case of a merchant (not an American) who had a place of business in Elizabeth City who was in the habit of holding farewell sales about once every month. The last sale he advertised twenty-five thousand dollars worth of goods at reduced prices. A certain newspaper in that city had the stock inventoried and the total amount of stock in the whole store came to less than seven hundred dollars. That merchant is now selling remnants on one of the street corners. Why? Simply because he can't get a store in the city to do business in. As to whether he is entitled to do business in a city that is progressive, I will let readers of this paper judge. I also know of a merchant right here in this city (not an American) who has a place of business on your main street, who professes to pay bills promptly, but I can show a check that this man gave in payment for a bill of goods that had been due for over a year, on a certain bank, the check came back marked, "no funds." Where in this money that is being paid to this man every day by the public? Is he keeping Greenville dollars in Greenville? As I have stated, I have been over this state and I will say that what it takes to make a real honest to goodness, up to date live city, Greenville has it, and I believe Mr. Mayor that the city is in a year's campaign to "Keep Greenville Dollars in Greenville."

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Mr. S. A. Conleton resigned as chairman of the board yesterday and was succeeded by Mr. J. S. Russ, prominent business man of Ayden, who is well suited for the position. In the resigning of Mr. Conleton, he stated that he felt that owing to the inconvenience of not being able to get to Greenville as well as others he thought that someone else would be better suited for the position. Mr. Conleton has made a mighty fine chairman for the board and many of them were reluctant to lose him, but it was pointed out that Mr. Russ is well suited for the position.

County Attorney S. J. Everett, who has served the board well, and who ranks as one of the best lawyers in Greenville as well as the surrounding country, was re-elected yesterday. The bonds for Falkland and Farmville townships, fifty thousand dollars each, were sold yesterday at what the county attorney today stated to be a good price.

The election returns from Carolina township to issue bonds for good roads were passed upon and Mr. J. L. Perkins was appointed chairman of the committee to see that the money is expended where it will do the most benefit.

Sale of the Poor House property was yesterday authorized and the Atlantic Coast Realty company, will, it is thought, sell it on December 21st.

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Each person on the board has not considered any personality or notoriety but has gone about his work in the best interest of the county.

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FINED RECKLESS AUTO DRIVER

Henry Fortner was tried in city court this morning on a charge of reckless automobile driving and was fined twenty-five dollars.

Fortner was the man that ran his Ford into a horse and buggy in front of Bishop's Laundry Saturday night. It is said that he turned from a side street into Dickinson avenue and was going so fast that he could not keep to the right and struck the buggy.

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Entered as second class matter August 29, 1910, at the post office at Greenville, North Carolina, under act of March 3, 1879.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1915 Short dresses are becoming such a habit that the next thing tired husbands know they won't have to buy any cloths to speak of.

Why of course, just as soon as the preparedness program is put through, Greenville expects to have a navy yard and a fort built right here!

If Germany wants to know why her representatives were withdrawn, and the Kaiser will just cable us, paid, we will send the answer to him, collect, of course.

Our idea of suspense: A telegraph editor waiting for a fifty word wire lead to a three column story which has already been put into type and shoved on the front page.

The Scotland Neck Commonwealth has announced that the editor of the Roanoke Rapids Herald is human. We can hardly believe it since the said editor has taken issue with the Commonwealth.

"Should a man lie to a woman?" is the query that the Virginia Pilot passes along. Of course, if it is absolutely necessary, one may do it, but the point is, what will happen if he is caught in the lie?

It is remarkable that all the citizens of those fighting nations, who are now residing in the United States and who grate of their respective countrymen as great fighters, are careful that they do not get sent home.

Now we shall see what the Honorable Claude will have to say in Congress. May be Claude will not have made such a fool of himself as we all thought. But it would be hard to convince a Wilson man that he has not.

They say it is a violation of the town ordinances to drive an automobile within the incorporate limits of the town unless the exhaust is muffled. We hate to think how many times this ordinance is violated each day by careless auto drivers.

A throwing away of the recently enacted Seaman's Law will greatly help to put the American merchant marine on the plain, or level, which it should be. Too much lawmaking on the part of some make conditions worse instead of better.

The real issue which is involved between the United States and Germany is not on account of the recall of the two representatives, but is because the United States has never been successful in getting satisfaction for the American lives lost on the Lusitania.

A little cleaning up on the part of many owners of lots would materially help to beautify the city and would not cost them so very much to do it. Individual pride among them for their city ought to be sufficient incentive to set them to work doing this, but on the other hand the most of them seem to be rather reluctant about starting anything.

THE SIXTY FOURTH CONGRESS Upon the opening of the sixty-fourth Congress, these men find that they are facing the gravest problems ever put before such a body of men in the last generation or possibly longer. There will be disputes, for some of the members will be hot-headed. Some will cry for war while others will be great advocates of peace.

Some will raise their voices for a great army and navy appropriation while others will see fit to oppose it. Some will be for another "something" while others will oppose it, but above all things there should be little party spirit shown.

"America First" should be the slogan of the sixty-fourth Congress, for at this time the United States is between the pan and the fire. Dissention among the congressmen will lead to bitter strife which ought not to be seen on the floor of Congress at this time. There can be a settling of all questions and disputes without any party spirit being shown, but those of opposing parties should rub shoulders together and stand for that slogan of the President, "America First."

IS THERE ANY FURTHER EXCUSE We quote for the benefit of those who may not be familiar with the town ordinances the following: "Chapter II. Section 1. Lots: Every owner, or occupant, or both, of any lot on any street, shall keep the same, together with the abutting sidewalk, or sidewalks, as far as same shall extend along said lot, free and clear of all weeds and other rank vegetation, and of all rubbish of any character whatsoever. If any person, after written notice by the chief of police, or his assistants, shall fail within twenty-four hours, after the receipt of such notice, to clear said lot or sidewalks of any such weeds, rank vegetation, and rubbish, then such person shall be deemed to have violated this ordinance, and shall be subject to a fine of five dollars for each and every day thereafter that he shall allow said lot, or sidewalks, or both, to remain in said condition."

Some fellow has said that "cleanliness is next to Godliness," and the world has taken him at his word. We hate to think how far that lot next to the post office is from anything Godlike, if the above rule is to be applied to it. There is no question about the lot needing cleaning up. Weeds, there are hundreds of them. Rubbish, still more, for the lot is wrapped up with bricks and scraps of timber. Waste paper has collected all over it, and this all put together, not only makes it an unhealthy spot, but it is also unsightly especially when it is situated right in the center of the town and surrounded by a well kept courtyard and a clean post office yard.

We respectfully advise that the "chief of police, or his assistant," send the owner one of those "written notices."

A FUTURE FOR GREENVILLE Of course Greenville is supposed to have a future, but can it have one if there is not a spirit of cooperation among the merchants. The merchants can not have cooperation when one class sells goods cheaper than the other. Invariably, the unreliable merchant will be the one to sell his goods cheaper. The consumer will be the one that will be benefited, while the reliable merchant, who sells his goods at a higher rate, will be the loser.

The consumer, however, in the long run, will also be the loser, for the damage that will be done this town can not be calculated in figures. We can only judge by what has occurred in other towns where the unreliable merchants have received patronage and helped to put a black eye on the map of the town from which the town has never recovered.

Greenville has unreliable merchants today. They are merchants who are giving Greenville a bad name from afar. Ask any traveling man about Greenville when you are in another city and his answer will almost always be, "A good town, but it is being ruined by merchants who do not give one cent of attention about the rating which they have, neither do they care if they stay in Greenville one year or two years." What does the Greenville man, who was born here and who expects to die here think when he is told such as that? Does it not come home to him that he should lend his efforts toward influencing the merchants here to be reliable? Is it not to his own benefit that he discourage people from patronizing those merchants who contribute nothing but a bad name to the town?

Why can't each of us, individually and collectively, take a hand in this matter and do all in our power to move the unreliable merchants from this town? It is to the benefit of all of us that this be done. Probably some curious British cruiser is making that little Ford ship honk to the tune of a vigilant search.

RANN-DOM REELS

Howard L. Rann
Of shoes and things and getting your cabbage & kine

MAPLE SYRUP Maple syrup is a pure food product which is spread upon the boarding-house pancake so that it will taste different than it looks. Traveling men find that by pouring the entire contents of a maple syrup cask upon a cold and despondent wheat cake and eating in a rapid staccato, the effect will be much the same as if devouring real food.

All of the maple syrup now in use comes direct from Vermont, and is secured from the veins of the stately soft maple tree, which is tapped just above the waistline in places hired men in rubber boots. The water, leaves and limbs are then boiled out of it after which it is placed in neat tin receptacles and shipped as far west as possible. It is then sold to particular customers who would have hard work telling oleomargarine from creamery butter, but who always know a real piece of maple syrup when they meet it.

In some communities 4,000 miles from a soft maple tree a good quality of maple syrup is produced by combining New Orleans molasses and brown sugar, and trusting to Providence for results. In some hotels this is done so skillfully that Vermont tourists are not able to eat anything for several days. This dastardly imitation of one of nature's noblest masterpieces can be detected at once by holding a match under the syrup and watching the crude oil go up in smoke.

Prior to the advent of the pure food law, most of the maple syrup used was made at home before breakfast with cane sugar and a dark brown coloring extract. This concoction was also sold at the stores in a rich variety of labels, all of which bore a picture of a sugar camp and a certificate of purity signed by some immediate relative of the shipper. People used this ingenious beverage for years until restrained by the mandate of the law, which has placed its impious hand upon everything from the uncovered potato chacker to the soft pine nutmeg.

The best way to secure maple syrup that has not been tampered with is to buy it in maple sugar form from some member of the church who gives to Vermont every spring and brings it back with him in a suit case. If there is anything else in the suit case besides the sugar, ask for the bill of lading.

WANTS

FOR SALE—ONE FEATHER BED, never been used at all. Reflector Co. 21d.

Furnish your kitchen with a Jewel Range while they are selling cheaper each day. See the one on exhibition at Boyd's Furniture and Undertaking Co. 12-7-11

WANTED—GOOD STENOGRAPHER quick. Address Box 57. 12-7-11-10

Visit our store and let us aid you in selecting a Christmas gift. GREENVILLE DRUG COMPANY 12-6-11d

STORE NOW OCCUPIED BY OVER-land Show rooms for rent January first. James Brown. 12-7-11d

Make your wife happy by presenting her with a Jewel Range. Come in tomorrow it will be one dollar cheaper, but be sure you are ahead of the other fellow. Boyd Furniture and Undertaking Co. 12-7-11

Don't forget it is one dollar cheaper each day. Ask the Boyd Furniture and Undertaking Co. 12-7-11

Guth's candy and Schaefer Self Filling fountain pens. GREENVILLE DRUG COMPANY 12-6-11d

Announcement Dr. H. W. Carter announces that he has removed his office to the National Bank building, second floor, with Dr. A. M. Schultz Office hours every Monday. 11-30-11m-d

Heaters Repaired and Refilled I am very busy repairing stoves and heaters, but there is always room for one more. Send me your old heaters and I will make them over as good as new. Work done promptly and thoroughly. Shop on Cotnach street, next door to Gardner's Repair shop, Greenville, N. C. L. H. PENDER 12-6-11d

We have a complete line of Parlatan Ivory in sets or in single pieces. GREENVILLE DRUG COMPANY 12-6-11d

Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Tonic is equally valuable as a general tonic because it contains well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 40 cents

MODERN FURNITURE



may not be so dainty in fashioning as in the past, but it is more artistic and durable—when rigidly made. Our Furniture is not merely made to look at but to give long service as well. We have everything for every room in the house, from attic to basement. Also fine Carpets, Rugs, Linoleums and Mattings. And you can save money by buying here, too.

TAFT & VANDYKE

Bring your want ad in today

A Safe Place to Deposit Money

There has been several highway robberies in this section lately. Deposit your money in the NATIONAL BANK, where it will be safe from both robbers and burglars.

THE NATIONAL BANK of Greenville

If you want "News" when it is "News" Read Reflector

\$25 \$50

Get A Victrola for Christmas

FOR SALE BY

Sam White Piano Company

\$75 \$100

Personal Attention

Mr. R. Wingate, one of Ayden's most prominent business men was in Greenville for a short while yesterday afternoon.

Mr. C. W. Hearse spent yesterday afternoon in Winterville on business.

Mr. Louis McGowan went to Rocky Mount this morning on a business trip of a few days.

Mr. L. E. Jackson, of Norfolk, spent last night in Greenville en route to Rocky Mount. Mr. Jackson spent much of his time in Greenville last winter and made many friends.

Mr. Olen Warren, Jr., went to Tarboro this morning on a brief business trip.

Mr. A. R. Breedlove spent Tuesday here and left this morning for Washington.

Mr. J. Key Brown returned this morning from Goldsboro.

Mr. W. G. Lamb, Jr., of Williamson, spent Tuesday here.

BREEZE HITS THE FLOOR BAPTISTS IN CONVENTION

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Mission. Mr. Oates was elected president at the Tuesday night's session and after a contest in which he defeated E. F. Aylelett of Elizabeth City, by a good majority.

Immediately Dr. Bayliss came forward and proposed the appointment of a committee to nominate a corresponding secretary. This started things. Delegate after delegate opposed the committee idea. Some sharp things were said. Then Dr. Cade came back. "What does this mean," he said, "Does a single man on this floor think a committee can be packed? I resent the implication." From every part of the house came the sharp reply, "No!" Dr. Riddick of Durham suggested that the committee name four or five possibilities.

This was voted down. Then the final vote came and with decisive majority the convention killed the Cade resolution. The selection of a corresponding secretary was made special order for one p. m. No nomination will be made.

Many Names Put Forth

When the hour arrived for the selection of a corresponding secretary nominations were made without any delay. Rev. W. N. Johnson of Wake Forest, Rev. C. E. Maddy, Rev. C. H. Durham, Winston-Salem; Rev. W. C. Barrett, Gastonia; Rev. C. L. Graves, Lumberton, Rev. R. A. McFarland, Scotland Neck, John A. Oates, Fayetteville, Rev. W. R. Bradshaw, Hickory, were put forth.

An effort was made to drop the lowest names but failed.

Mr. Oates declined to allow his name used. Ballot in progress. (2 p. m.)

The First Ballot

First ballot for corresponding secretary resulted as follows: W. H. Johnson 152, C. E. Maddy 92, C. H. Durham 76, W. C. Barrett 9, C. L. Graves 25, R. A. McFarland 15, W. R. Bradshaw 56. Pending the second ballot the convention took a recess at 2:15.

CHAMBLISS.

RECOMMENDED FOR CROUP W. C. Allen, Bossley, Mo., says: "I have raised a family of four children and used Foley's Honey and Tar with all of them. I find it the best cough and croup medicine I ever used. I used it for eight or ten years and can recommend it for croup." Same satisfactory results for coughs and colds. Sold everywhere.

A Meeting

The Pitt County Federation will meet Friday afternoon at two-thirty in the court house.

MOONLIGHT WORK GETTING WELL UNDERWAY

At the general teachers' meeting for the teachers of Pitt County, held in Greenville, on November 20th, definite plans were laid for the beginning of the moonlight school work in this county. So far reports have come in to the county superintendent of the organization of four of these schools. The first school organized in the county was at Lang's Roads, taught by Misses Lucy Moore and Lillie Tucker. They have the honor of launching this movement in Pitt county. Other schools have been organized at Clayfoot, in Swift Creek township; at Mason's in Patactus township, and at the Elk's school, in Chicod township. All of these schools are doing well, and the movement is meeting with favor. Other schools in the county are expected to organize this work within the next few days.

Considerable interest is being manifested in the county this year in the raising of funds locally to supplement the state and county appropriations. Various forms of entertainments are held by the teachers, and the proceeds go to the benefit of the local school. Within the last few days reports have come in to the county superintendent, showing the following amount raised: Smithtown, Misses Pearl Brown and Lanie Tyson, teachers, \$45.00; Reedy Branch, Mr. Elbert Prescott, teacher, \$29.00; Bethel No. 2, Miss Lamy Williamson, teacher, \$14.00; Bethel No. 1, Miss Madeline Moore, teacher, \$21.00.

County superintendent began on December 2nd, a series of group teachers' meetings. This series will run through December 14th. The teachers in different sections of the county are organized in small groups, meeting in some central school, at two o'clock, on some week day afternoon, for the discussion of practical school problems. The first meeting was held for the teachers of Chicod township, at Black Jack, on the afternoon of December 2nd. On December 3rd, the teachers of Bethel, Carolina and Patactus townships met at Stokes. Both of these meetings were well attended, and some good work was done. The greater portion of the time was used in the discussion of methods of assigning lessons and methods of teaching reading. Some attention was given to moonlight schools. Reports as to enrollment and attendance in the day schools were received and general topics were discussed. Teachers entered freely into the discussion, and the meetings seemed to be interesting.

Teachers at Winterville and Ayden will meet Friday afternoon at two-thirty in the court house.

S. B. UNDERWOOD, County Superintendent

LOCAL BRIEFS

The Warren drug store has just received its Christmas goods which have been put on display in the store. A very large assortment of any and everything is to be found there.

Last evening Covenant Lodge No. 17 I. O. O. F. held annual election of officers. James L. Evans was elected Noble Grand; W. T. Forest, Vice Grand; L. H. Pender, Recording Secretary; A. C. Holloman, Financial Secretary; A. B. Ellington, Treasurer. This order in North Carolina is doing a great work in the education and support of about 300 orphans in their home at Goldsboro.

Prayer meeting in the churches to night.

"September Morn" in White's theatre tonight.

A display of candy put on by the Charles Horne, Drugist, store, makes one of the most attractive showings of any seen in town. The candy is the well known Huyler's which has a national reputation for being the best.

At the monthly business session of Memorial Baptist church tonight two deacons are to be chosen.

Whether you realize it or not, Christmas is drawing near.

NOTICE

All persons interested in the growth of the Greenville Public Library are invited to meet in the library rooms at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening, Miss Minnie Leatherman, Secretary of the State Library Commission will be present and will give advice about maintaining a library.

HOY TAYLOR, Secretary, Public Library Committee.

STRONG AND WELL AS EVER

Fred Smith, Green Bay, Wis., says: "Foley Kidney Pills completely relieved me of all soreness and pain in the back and I now am strong and well as ever." Cold weather makes aching limbs, sore muscles and irregular bladder action more unbearable. Foley's Kidney Pills help the kidneys eliminate pain-causing poisons. Sold everywhere.

OBSERVE THE WARNING

A cold that promises to "hang on all winter" is to be dreaded. Prompt action should be taken at the first warning of a cold—coughing, chills, slight shivering, Foley's Honey and Tar makes quick work of coughs, colds and croup. It clears air passages, stops coughing, eases difficult breathing. Sold everywhere.

LAND SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in two certain deeds of trust, executed and delivered by J. J. Cherry and wife, Mary J. Cherry, to C. S. Carr, trustee, one dated March 22nd, 1913, and recorded in Book E-10, page 494 in the Register of Deeds office of Pitt county, and the other dated October 30th, 1913, recorded in the Register of Deeds office of Pitt county in Book T, page 131, the undersigned will sell for cash before the Court House door in Greenville at noon on Wednesday December 29th, 1915, the following described town property, situate in the Town of Greenville and known as lot No. 55 in the plot of said town, bounded on the North by Third Street, on the East by the T. R. Cherry property, on the South by the O'Hara property, and on the West by Greene Street. Said property is sold to satisfy said two mortgages.

This November 29th, 1915.

F. G. JAMES & SON, C. S. CARR, Attorneys. Trustee.

Notice Land Sale

By virtue of authority of a judgment entered in a special proceeding in the Superior court, entitled: J. W. Bailey, Adm., Elizabeth Jones and Lawrence Jones against Hebrew Jones, Joshua Jones, Elizabeth Jones, Jessie Jones and Ira Jones, appointing me as commissioner, directing me to sell the land described in the petition filed in said special proceeding, I will sell to the highest bidder for 1-3 cash, the remainder payable in three (3) years, at the court house door on Monday the 3rd day of January, 1916, at noon, that tract of land in Carolina township, Pitt county, known as the "Jones Home Place," containing Eighty-four (84) acres more or less, upon which Lawrence Jones and Elizabeth Jones lived and died, and being near the town of Stokes, more fully described in Book U-6, page 321, Registry of Deeds office, also Alvin Whichear's tract containing twenty (20) acres making one hundred and four (104) acres to be sold.

Inquire further of J. W. Bailey at Stokes, N. C., or the undersigned.

This December 6th, 1915.

S. J. EVERETT, Commissioner.

Holiday Prices

This is the month to get special low prices on our entire stock.

We have a complete stock of RANGES, STOVES AND HEATERS

See Us Before Buying

Higgs-Taft Furniture Company

Give them something useful



IF YOU'RE TROUBLED WITH THAT PROBLEM, "WHAT SHALL I GIVE," COME STRAIGHT TO OUR STORE AND SEE HOW QUICKLY IT WILL BE SOLVED.

OUR CHRISTMAS PRESENT GOODS ARE SENSIBLE, "USEFUL" THINGS.

YOUR CHRISTMAS MONEY GOES A LONG WAY IN OUR STORE.

COME IN NOW.

Hart & Hadley

EVERYTHING IN HARDWARE

Greenville Banking and Trust Company

The Oldest and Largest Bank in Pitt County

term of the Superior court for Pitt county to be held in Greenville, North Carolina, beginning January 17th, 1916. The defendant, T. E. Cannon, will also take notice that a warrant of attachment was issued by the clerk of the Superior court of Pitt county, on the 3rd day of November, 1915, against certain lands, to wit: "Situated in Swift Creek and Contentnea townships, one tract containing 150 acres and known as lots 4, 5 and 6 of the Samuel Wilson land; one tract containing 4 1-4 acres lying and being situated on the Gum Swamp road; one tract containing 169 acres known as the A. F. and F. M. Pittman land; also one fourth interest in one certain tract containing 59 acres and known as the Betts Bergeron land, all lying and being situated in Pitt county, North Carolina; the said lands being the lands of the defendant, T. E. Cannon, which warrant is returnable to the next term of the Superior court of Pitt county, on the seventh Monday before the first Monday in March, it being the 17th day of January, 1916, when and where the defendant, T. E. Cannon, is required to appear and answer or demur to the complaint, or the relief demanded will be granted.

This the 10th day of November, 1915.

J. D. COX, Clerk Superior Court, Pitt County.

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In the Superior Court of North Carolina, Pitt County

J. E. Cannon vs. T. E. Cannon

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By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given to N. W. Outlaw by Fannie Ross, dated January 25th, 1915, and due September 1st 1915, and recorded in the Register of Deeds office in Pitt county in Book Q-10, page 593, the undersigned will on Friday, the 7th day of January, 1916, at 12 o'clock as sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described lands:

Adjoining the lands of John Smith, Bob Smith and Dr. B. T. Cox, and being where the said Fannie Ross now lives and being all the land which she owns in Contentnea township, containing 31 acres more or less.

This, the 6th day of December, 1915.

N. W. OUTLAW, Mortgagee.

ann. 12-7-11d-31w.

You Need a Tonic

There are times in every woman's life when she needs a tonic to help her over the hard places. When that time comes to you, you know what tonic to take—Cardui, the woman's tonic. Cardui is composed of purely vegetable ingredients, which act gently, yet surely, on the weakened womanly organs, and helps build them back to strength and health. It has benefited thousands and thousands of weak, ailing women in its past half century of wonderful success, and it will do the same for you. You can't make a mistake in taking

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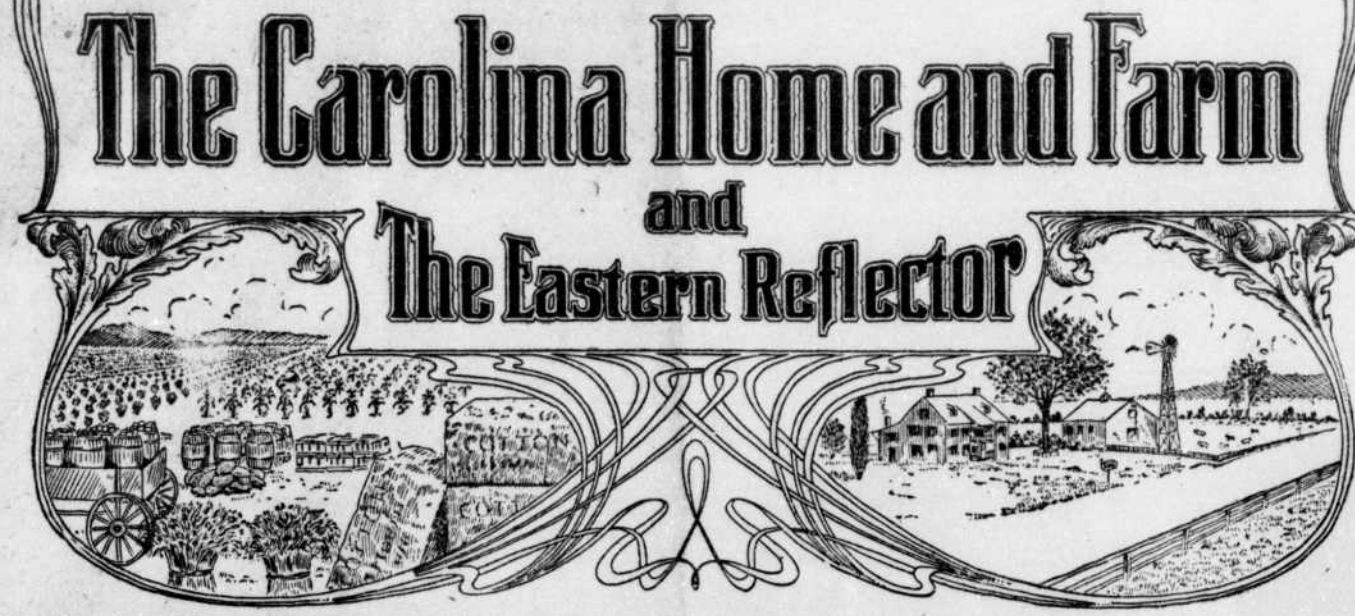
The Woman's Tonic

Miss Amelia Wilson, R. F. D. No. 4, Alma, Ark., says: "I think Cardui is the greatest medicine ever for women. Before I began to take Cardui I was so weak and nervous, and had such awful dizzy spells and a poor appetite. Now I feel as well and as strong as I ever did, and can eat most anything." Begin taking Cardui today. Sold by all dealers.

Has Helped Thousands.

WE HAVE A CIRCULATION OF TWELVE HUNDRED AMONG THE BEST PEOPLE IN THE EASTERN PART OF NORTH CAROLINA AND INVITE THOSE WHO WISH TO GET BETTER ACQUAINTED WITH THESE GOOD PEOPLE IN A BUSINESS WAY TO TAKE A FEW INCHES SPACE AND TELL THEM WHAT YOU HAVE TO BRING TO THEIR ATTENTION.

OUR ADVERTISING RATES ARE LOW AND CAN BE HAD UPON APPLICATION.



Agriculture is the Most Useful, the Most Healthful, the Most Noble Employment of Man.—George Washington

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THIS PORKER WAS SAVED FROM AN UNTIMELY FATE

Alleged Two Negroes Stole a Pig From Mr. Bullock.

HAVE BEEN CAUGHT

Said Silas Knight Took The Pig To The Home of Jim Nelson For Safe Keeping.

Nelson, in the meantime, learning that the game was spotted and that he and his accomplice had lost a good lot of pork, journeyed to Greenville and told how it all happened, it is said.

The pig will be held by the officers of the law until final ownership is established and it has been settled whether or not Knight stole the pig and set out on search of K. Knight and the pig.

When Knight had been taken, it was found that the pig was being held at the home of Nelson several miles distant. To that place the constable journeyed in search of Mr. Pig and there he found him.

MISS SUE KELLY SPEAKS AT WINTERTWILE SCHOOL

(By E. L. ROBERTS)

(Special Staff Correspondent)

WINTERVILLE, DEC. 15.—Miss Sue Kelly of Vance county, who is traveling throughout the state in behalf of the Women's Missionary Society movement, made an interesting talk to the students of Winterville high school and furnished the pupils their text book. At 8:30 o'clock in the afternoon she lectured to the members of the Women's Missionary Society at the Baptist church. Miss Kelly has been at work in the Central and Tar associations for several months, and about three weeks ago began work in the Nox-Antler association. She is a good speaker, and a large crowd heard her here.

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Moonlight School Is Getting Advanced In Its Work.

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Pitt County Is Not Behind In The Race For Good In This Fine Work.

November is past, and November in many counties was observed as Moonlight School Month. In some instances "Moonlight School Month" extended to six weeks in others it is still to be observed or better still a second Moonlight School Month in the spring is to follow the one in the fall.

During the past summer at the various Summer Schools and Teachers Institutes about 5,000 teachers volunteered to teach in the Moonlight schools of the state for three nights a week for four consecutive weeks. This was to be known as Moonlight School Month. The North Carolina Press Association promised to give publicity to the movement. The Junior Order of American Mechanics, the Farmers' Union and the Federation of Women's clubs all agreed to lend their support to the promotion of opening the schools for a month to adults who had been denied an early chance. November was the month set aside by the State Board of Education for this purpose and if November was not convenient the time best suited to the community.

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It is said that the move had received considerable opposition prior to the time of holding the election, but on yesterday morning, the good road enthusiasts who have been working faithfully in the interest of the issuance of bonds, rallied around the polls and carried it through without a single vote for the opposition.

Chicod's roads, it is said, are in need of much improvement and the people of that township are reported to be unusually jubilant over the carrying of the issue yesterday. Plans will be made at once to sell the bonds and it is hoped to get the work of improving and building roads well underway just as soon as the weather conditions in the spring will permit.

Being the fifth township to vote for bonds for road building, Chicod is breaking the ice for the other townships, it is said, for they will be mighty glad to get in line in the hope of having their road facilities improved.

Prior to the election the enthusiasts for good roads in Chicod township traveled over all the constructed roads in the other townships which have voted bonds and expressed themselves as well pleased with the outcome and had voiced the hope that Chicod would be able to carry the issue.

It is said in reliable quarters, that other townships are going to begin an agitation for the issuance of bonds for the purpose of building better roads and to improve those that they now have.

Old residents of this county view this step forward in a pleasing light and cite the fact that what they have long dreamed of is now becoming a reality.

One thing that attests the fact that the roads in this county are already becoming popular with the neighboring counties is that Beaufort has already sent a party of good roads boosters through this section and that at each time that anything is said in Beaufort about good roads, Pitt county is cited as an example.

A Mississippian woman is the inventor of a trunk for moving heavy barrels that also will turn them over and hold them in position for their contents to be withdrawn.

The fall term examinations of Winterville high school will begin Monday morning and continue through Wednesday, at which time the fall term closes. This closes one of the most successful terms in the history of the school. The spring term will begin Tuesday, January 4, and prospects are good for the spring term.

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Mr. S. B. Underwood, county superintendent of schools, today gave out an interview on the proposed consolidation of schools in Beaver Dam township, and the voting of a special tax for the support of a strong central school.

"The Board of Education," he said, "welcomed this progressive step on the part of the citizens of Beaver Dam township. Their petition, signed by the board of county commissioners without any hesitancy. This is perhaps the most important educational movement yet undertaken in Pitt county. It is in line with the trend of the times in educational matters, which is to extend the benefits of the large well graded schools to the rural districts."

It is a usual occurrence that the checks for the war veterans arrive just before Christmas, and they are always highly appreciated.

It is a little astonishing to some, it is supposed, to learn that the State is annually paying back into this county over four thousand dollars for the purpose of helping those who fought in the Civil War and their widows, but it is nevertheless true.

"If this election carries, as it seems that it will, one school will displace four schools now operated in this township. This will give a district with a census of 212 children, and will require probably about five or six teachers. This will enable the school to be graded and will make it possible for the teachers to give the children that individual attention that is so necessary. It will also make possible work in agriculture, domestic science and music."

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"Under the new plan this would be changed. There would be pupils enough and teachers enough to grade the school properly and to give the children as good advantages as could be found anywhere. The high school department can be organized as soon as there is a demand for it, and the children give the thorough and complete course of training without having to leave home to get it."

"No child will be required to walk an unreasonable distance. The board will arrange for transportation of those who live more than about two miles from the school."

"It looks to me like an unusual opportunity for the people of Beaver Dam township. I believe they will wish to take advantage of it. They will certainly have then one of the best rural schools to be found anywhere."

"Of course, there will be some opposition. Some perfectly honest people will fight the consolidation because they do not wish to give up their neighborhood schools, and because of the small tax they will have to pay. We have no fight on these people. They are perfectly sincere, and have

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The checks for the war pensioners were received this morning, and the total amount that will be paid out in Pitt county this year is \$4,016 which will be divided up among fifty-seven widows of war veterans and sixty-six veterans themselves. The clerk is asking that all those who receive pensions call at the office at the earliest opportunity and get it.

There are 57 widows in the county who are in the fourth class on the pension list. One soldier in the third class, and sixty-seven who are in the fourth class. These receive amounts according to their class.

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"Of course, there will be some opposition. Some perfectly honest people will fight the consolidation because they do not wish to give up their neighborhood schools, and because of the small tax they will have to pay. We have no fight on these people. They are perfectly sincere, and have

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A special from Washington to the Greensboro News Monday states that there is a likelihood of there being a determined effort made on the part of the Democrats to oust Col. J. Bryan Grimes, Secretary of State, and Treasurer R. R. Lacy from their jobs on the grounds that it is not good policy for the Democratic administration to let one man hold an office for such a long length of time.

Col. Grimes has been Secretary of State for about sixteen years while Treasurer Lacy has occupied his job for practically the same length of time. Both, it is said, have performed their duties in office to the entire satisfaction of the whole State, and their adherents in Eastern Carolina are prone to regard the rumor from Washington as unfounded.

"Certainly," said an adherent of Col. Grimes here today, "there is absolutely no excuse that either the Colonel or Treasurer Lacy be ousted from their jobs on the grounds that are set forth in the correspondence from Washington."

Col. Grimes is a native of this county and has many friends in Greenville while he has a still greater number scattered over Pitt county, and, in fact, the entire State.

"It is not generally believed that there could be enough united effort brought to bear against his reelection to prevent it, even though his enemies were to strive ever so hard."

"There is no use to make the Secretary's job and experiment station by putting an inexperienced in it so long as Colonel Grimes is performing the functions of the office so well," is said.

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Sale of Land

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage executed by Ed Howell and wife, Rosa Howell, to M. O. Blount on August 1st, 1914, which mortgage is recorded in Book A-11, Page 371 of the Pitt County Registry, default in payment having been made, the undersigned will, on Monday the 3rd day of January, 1916, at 12 m. before the Court House Door in Greenville, N. C., expose to public sale for cash the following described property, to-wit:

Being a house and lot in the town of Bethel, N. C., which was purchased from J. E. Cannon and wife, and which is bounded as follows: On the North by Tarboro street, on the East by the Andrews lot, on the South and West by the lots formerly belonging to the Grimes heirs, containing one-half acre more or less, and being the place on which D. B. Barnhill now lives.

Sale made to satisfy said mortgage. This, the 10th day of November, 1915.

M. O. BLOUNT, Mortgagee.

JULIUS BROWN, Attorney. 12-2-105

TOY AND STATUARY STORE

I have on display in the store room next door to the Chero Cola Bottling Works the most complete assortment of Toys for the Holiday trade. In addition our statuary line is more elaborate than any other shown in Greenville. Before making your purchase look over our line as we can save you money.

L. M. SAYAGE. 12-4-105-eeb.

LAND SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed by Robert Wilson to H. M. White trustee, to secure the purchase money due for the land hereinafter described on the 13th day of December, 1912, which deed of trust was properly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County, in Book D-10, Deeds of Pitt County, in Book D-10, page 506, the undersigned will sell for cash at public auction before the court house door in Greenville on the following described tract or parcel of land, situate in the county of Pitt and Pactivious township, being that piece of land formerly owned by R. B. on a plot of 25 acres, situate in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pitt county, in map book one, page 3.

Beginning at the run of the swamp on the road which divides this land from Moses Little and James Burr Little, and running north 10 degrees east 2 1/2 miles, east 12 1/2 miles, east 2 1/2 miles, then S 1/4 of D. McComb 1640 yards to the run of said swamp thence with the run of said swamp to the beginning, containing 49 acres. For a more accurate description reference is hereby made to the map above referred to.

This November 10th, 1915.

J. B. WHITE, Trustee.

F. G. JAMES & SON, Attorneys. 11-12-116-317.

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The defendant T. E. Cannon, in the above entitled action will take notice that on the 4th day of November, 1915, a summons in said action was issued against the defendant T. E. Cannon by J. D. Cox, clerk of the Superior Court of Pitt County, North Carolina, to appear and answer or demur to the complaint, or the relief demanded, or the relief demanded, on the 10th day of November, 1915.

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SOUTHERN COMMERCIAL CONGRESS

\$25.00—CHARLESTON—\$25.00

For the above occasion the Atlantic Coast Line will sell excursion tickets to Charleston at \$25.00. Tickets will be sold for all trains on December 11, 12 and 13, limited returning to midnight of December 22, 1915. Proportionately low fares will be made from all points on the Atlantic Coast Line.

This is a convention of the greatest importance to the South's commercial manufacturing and industrial interests, and will be an opening wedge for its opportunities at this time. In recognition of its importance the United States government proposes to send nine or ten battalions to Charleston and in addition there will be a large number of cruisers, torpedo boats and submarines there for the inspection and pleasure of the large number of the South's representative citizens who will be present.

For schedules and further information, call on

W. H. WARD, Ticket Agent, Greenville, S. C.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE

The Standard Railroad of the South

Sale of Valuable Ties

By virtue of a note with lien on Davenport attached executed by J. F. Davenport and Blanche Davenport to the Farmers Bank on July 10th, 1914, the undersigned will sell at public sale for cash at the Court House Door in Greenville, N. C. on the 20th day of December, 1915, at 12 m., the following described ties: 12 notes of \$20.84, each executed by Moses Station and wife, Cora Station to Blanche F. Davenport on January 1st, 1914. These notes are secured by a mortgage on 49 acres of land, and being part of the Matthews Harris tract, which land lies in Pactivious township on the North side of Tarboro street.

These notes fall due as follows: January 1st, 1915, and on the 1st day of January in each year and up to and including January 1st, 1926. Interest has been paid on each of said notes on January 1st, 1915, and a payment of \$105.90 has been paid on the note due January 1st, 1915.

This 20th day of November, 1915.

THE FARMERS BANK, JULIUS BROWN, Attorney. 11-20-116-317w.

Land Sale

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed executed by J. F. Ford and John J. Ford to John J. Ford and W. H. Woodard on the 24th day of November, 1913, and which mortgage is recorded in Book Q-10, page 82 of the Pitt County Registry, default in payments having been made, the undersigned will on Monday the 27th day of December, 1915 at 12 m. expose to public sale, for cash, before the court house door in Greenville, N. C., the following described tract of land, containing 45 acres more or less, and bounded by the lands of James M. Manning and the J. L. Nelson lands, it being the same land deeded to J. J. Morris by W. H. Woodard and J. J. Ford and for which this mortgage is given to secure the purchase price.

This 24th day of November, 1915.

W. H. WOODARD and JOHN J. FORD, Mortgagees.

JULIUS BROWN, Attorney.

Land Sale

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 10th, 1915, the following described house and lot in the town of Winterville:

Beginning at C. T. Kittrell's corner on Main street and running northwesterly with said Kittrell's line 70 yards to C. T. Kittrell's backline, thence westerly with R. W. Houser's line 35 yards, thence southerly with Mrs. Louise Houser's line 70 yards to the eastward, then by Main street, thence eastward to the beginning, containing one-half acre and the same lot conveyed to Susan Tyson by W. L. Hurst and wife.

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